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St. Albert News Briefs

Isabel and Gordon Wilson and baby daughter, Bonnie, are presently living at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Maloney, until they locate another home in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Etler celebrated his birthday on March 27 at their home with a few friends.

On Monday evening, March 30, the opening of the P.U.A. gave a miscellaneous bazaar for bride-to-be Miss Solange Curial, at the home of Mrs. Oliver Sinclair.

An Easter Monday dance in the Community Hall will be held again this year.

About 16 or 18 persons attended a curling meeting in the Community Hall on Sunday. President John McDermott acted as chairman. A refreshment table was prepared and is ready to go to press.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rouault and Lionel and Simone motored to Vancouver on Tuesday, March 31. They will spend Easter with his parents. They expect to be away for a fortnight.

Mr. Gaston Curial is presently working as an electrician at Jasper Park Lodge.

Among those who went in to see the operetta "Blossom Time" were Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Akins, Mr. Sissie Mitchell and daughter Teresa, Miss Marie Wolniewicz, Mr. and Mrs. H. Vague.

Messrs. Fred and Harvey Belrose recently returned from a business trip to Whitelaw and Grimsby.

Grades nine and ten, with Mr. Rabaud in charge, visited the legislature on Thursday afternoon, March 26.

On Friday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Tom Atkinson showed their films of England and St. Albert to Grades 7 and 8. In appreciation they were presented with a box of chocolates.

The B and B gang left St. Albert this week after completing re-building the railroad bridge over the Sturgeon. They have been here since the end of October.

Mrs. Trace and daughters Eleanor and Loretta were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richardson.

Mr. Frank Ball recently returned from a trip to Northern Saskatchewan on theatre business.

Mrs. Bookee (nee Ruth Lattimer) is presently visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lattimer. She is accompanied by her husband and son of Vancouver.

Mr. Dave Crozier has a new Oldsmobile 88. His car is specially fitted so that he can manage it easily.

Mr. R. Scragg has recently returned from a seven week holiday at the Coast where he visited his daughter, Nancy and brother, Alvin. The Kennedys and Hugh Kennedy.

Mr. Ralph Scragg and Miss June Hagen were visited in Vancouver on Friday, March 27 at Devon.

We are sorry to report that Mrs. Wm. Smetters recently underwent a major operation. Our best wishes for a speedy recovery.

Mr. Geoff Ewood, and son Bill, Mrs. Bill Allan, Mrs. Ted Atkinson and son Donald motored to Vernon on March 25 to attend the Little Royal Achievement Day at the Agricultural College.

A farewell party was held recently for Miss Mayn who has resigned from Woodward's Store. The girls on the square list have

Commonwealth Mourns Queen Mary



Four generations of the commonwealth were familiar with Queen Mary—first as the Duchess of York, then as Queen, then as Queen Mother, and then as Dowager Queen. Raised in the Victorian era, she became a symbol of the dignity of the age. She was known as kindly yet unyielding, gracious but reserved. Some of the highlights of her 84 years included her marriage to Duke of York in 1893; their coronation in 1911 and celebration of their silver jubilee in 1935. To many Britons she, more than any other, was the true symbol of Britain's monarchic continuity.

St. Albert Scouts Lose To Eskimo Troop

ST. ALBERT—It's all over for the St. Albert Scout hockey team now, as they were defeated 5-3 in the Edmonton Gardens on Friday, March 27 at the hands of Edmonton's Second Troop.

In the first 10 minutes of the first period St. Albert allowed the Second Troop to get six goals. Then by the end of the first period L. Brodeur scored a single to make the score 6-1.

Then in the second stanza St. Albert tightened up as Maurice Boerger scored from a pass behind the net by Ray Lamer to make the score 6-2.

By the middle of the third period St. Albert scored again as Rene Maloux took a long pass from Bradley Sumner to make the score 6-3. Then in the dying minutes Edmonton scored the final marker to make it 7-3.

The game was well attended as about 40 or 50 fans came in from St. Albert.

The line-ups for the game were: First Line—Lloyd Cunningham, right wing; Bradley Sumner, centre; Rene Maloux, left wing.

First Line Defence—Raymond Sevigny, right; Maurice Boerger, left.

Second Line—Robert Sevigny, right wing; Ray Lamer, centre; Allan Maloney, left wing.

Second Line Defence—Lucien Brodeur, left; Ray Pincio, right. Substitute—Bernie Bethlehem, Goal—Roger Sevigny.

A modern Canadian army division needs more than 2,200 motor vehicles to move and service its fighting men.

her a locket and the personnel of her own department presented her with a purse.

The next PUA meeting has been postponed until the third Tuesday in April.

Legal News Briefs

The last mild spell has finally put an end to the winter sports activities. All will have to wait now for the beautiful summer season to begin outside sports activities.

The construction work has begun anew at the new school. The contractors are at it full swing hoping to complete an eight room school by the end of July.

Baptized last Sunday afternoon were, Marjolaine Angèle Marie Chamberland, newly born daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bruno Chamberland. Congratulations to the happy parents.

The Knights of Columbus are grateful to those who were present at the Ham Bingo held last Sunday evening in the parish hall. It is understood that the bad roads of the spring season have not allowed a greater number to come.

It is reported that the lumber jacks who were out in camps for the last few winter months are back home now as the roads in the back are impassable.

This year again in the parish hall, the ceremony of the Vigil of Easter will be celebrated during the night of Holy Saturday, beginning at 11:00 a.m.

Lost wishes to all parishioners as well as to all friends and benefactors for a very happy Easter.

Home & School Group Holds Card Party

ST. ALBERT—The third and final card party sponsored by the St. Albert Home and School Association was held in the school auditorium Friday evening, March 27. There were 9 tables of card players. Winners were: Ladies' high, Mrs. Chinko; Consolation, Viola Nesom; Gent's high, Mrs. Levine; Consolation, Mr. Ben Macdon. The winners of the grand prize

Amateur Concert Delights Audience

ST. ALBERT—The amateur concert held annually in St. Albert for the purpose of raising funds for the Scout and Cub organization was held in the school auditorium, Saturday, March 28. It was very well attended and everyone enjoyed the 20 numbers which our talented young citizens presented. Mr. Bert Sumner acted as master of ceremonies. Mrs. Andy Kennedy and Mrs. Blair accompanied the numbers on the piano and Mr. Allan Blair was tannet with the choir who filled the voices. The group committee which sponsored it were: Mrs. George Lee, Cuts, S. Bonnevillie, Pincio and Messrs. Maurice Boerger, Laron, George Lee and Pincio. The winners were: First, Harold and Donald Cuts at the violin and piano; second, Jimmy Sinclair and Ronnie Mulvan with an accordion duet; third, Maurice Boerger and Rev. Don Robit with a guitar duet. The committee are pleased to report that they cleared \$93 after giving \$18 in prizes. Between numbers the Scout under the direction of Mrs. Ken Riley, sang some charming songs. Mrs. Riley also favored us with a solo which was enjoyed very much.

4-H Club On Tour

ST. ALBERT—On Saturday, March 14, the members of the St. Albert-Namoo 4-H Club held their club tour. The members went to each other's farms to see one another's calves. Each member had a chance to judge another member's calf.

Some time previous to this the club held a social evening at Namoo school. This meeting consisted of a short business session, two films and a talk by District Agriculturalist Mr. Fitcher on 4-H Clubs. Mr. Fitcher also answered questions on this subject, which were asked by delegates from senior groups from Namoo. Parents and those wishing to join the club in the future were invited to this meeting. A lunch was served by members of the club.

District Girl Showered

ST. ALBERT—A miscellaneous shower was given for Miss Yvonne Borle at Glenmary School on the afternoon of March 21. There were over 80 ladies present, representing St. Albert, Villeneuve, Ray, Morinville, Riviere Qui Barre and Westlock. The hostesses were Miss Grace and Miss Melba Borle, Mrs. Dorcas Borle and Miss Dorcas Soctart. The afternoon was spent playing bingo and a very delicious lunch was served.

Miss Yvonne Borle is a district nurse at Red Deer and will be married to Mr. Walter Henderson of Lacombe on April 8 at the Villeneuve Church. The wedding dance will take place that same evening in the St. Albert Community Hall.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our many friends, including the members of the W.I. the P.U.A. for the farewell party which was so kindly extended to us; also the beautiful gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos Atkinson and Mrs. John A. Atkinson gratefully acknowledge the generous gifts of Mrs. J. MacMillan.

Large Crowd Honors Departing Couples

ST. ALBERT—A farewell party for Mr. and Mrs. Tom Atkinson and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Atkinson was held in the St. Albert Community Hall on Tuesday evening, March 24. Approximately 150 of their many friends were gathered there. The first part of the evening was spent playing whist. Prizes were given. Ladies' first, Mrs. Colman; consolation, Mrs. Ernie Lewis; Gent's first, Mr. C. Gibson, consolation, Mrs. Violet Harold. This was followed by a sing-song led by Mrs. Wm. Cuts accompanied by Mrs. Amy Kennedy. These two ladies also adapted fitting words for the occasion to the tune of "So Long. It was Good to Know You." After lunch, Mr. Frank Ball very capably acted as master of ceremonies. Mr. Geoff Boeck paid fitting tribute to the Atkinsons as good neighbors and leaders in community life during their stay in St. Albert. They would no doubt have been given the Master Farmer award, had partnerships been allowed in this distinction. Mrs. Harry Tomlinson reviewed her childhood pleasures with the Atkinson daughters, especially the get-togethers annually on May 24 at the farm. Mr. Ball then presented on behalf of the P.U.A. and the W.I. of the community, a gift of a floor lamp to each couple. Mrs. Sel Bonnyville, president of the W.I. presented a gift of bodice laces to each lady on behalf of that organization.

Mrs. Powell, presented on behalf of the P.U.A. a gift of crystal to each lady. A shield was presented to Mr. Jack Atkinson from the P.U.A. Each of the honored couples then, in very fitting words, thanked all those participants in the event. The evening concluded with the singing of "God Bless You, Lady Good-bye" and those cheering cheers. Many of their friends regretted the fact that they were unable to be there because of blocked roads.

SO LONG!

You came to St. Albert a long time ago.
You made of our district a good place to know.
So to you Jack and Eunice, to you Tom and Flo,
We take off our hats as you go out the door.
Chorus:
So long, it's been good to know you.
It's a long time since you've been away.
And you've got to be drifting along.
Of course we will miss you, you've given us much.
Of work, public service, the rare kindly touch.
Our thank and good wishes take with you from here.
May they bring new friendships and homes to hold dear.

Sibbald Hardware Robbed Of \$75.00

ESTHER—The Sibbald Hardware, owned by W. Mowers, was robbed St. Patrick's night of \$75.00. The suspected robber was believed to have purchased a train ticket to Hanna, another one to Calgary, but got off the train before reaching Calgary.



AT A RECENT graduation ceremony at Gimli, Man., Pilot-Officer "W" Smith of Edmonton was awarded a diploma. P.O. Smith is a graduate of Prince Albert Collegiate, and attended the University of Alberta in the Faculty of Engineering during the 1951-52 term. While there he joined the University Squadron of the RCAF. Last summer he went to Kingston and Trenton, Ont. for early training and was later posted to Gimli for basic training. On finishing his basic training, Pilot-Officer Smith was posted to Saskatoon to complete his flying training. P.O. Smith is the son of Rev. C. J. Smith, pastor of Bonnie Dean Baptist Church.

Town To Purchase Road Grader; Two Hundred Trees Also Ordered

MORINVILLE — At the special council meeting for the Town of Morinville, the councillors agreed to order a W. Speed Patrol, a versatile road-grader for maintenance of Morinville streets.

Also placed on order at this meeting were 200 trees, 100 Green Ash and 100 of the Manitoba Maple variety.

The minutes of the last meeting of the council held in Morinville on March 26 are as follows:

This meeting was called by the mayor for the purpose of discussing the estimates for 1953, the purchase of the W. Speed Patrol and the purchasing of money.

Present

Mayor Souter and Councillors: MacInnis, Lavalle, St. Laurent, Chevaller, and Lachance.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Souter.

Trees

Mr. G. M. McCutcheon of the Charles Nurseries, called on the council with a view of selling trees for the town.

It was moved by Councillor St. Laurent that the town order 100 Green Ash trees 5 to 6 feet at \$1.50 each and 100 Manitoba Maples trees at \$1.50 each, from G. M. McCutcheon, Charles Nurseries and that the secretary issue a cheque in the amount of \$150.00 in payment for these trees. Carried.

W. Speed Patrol

Mr. P. Watson of Watrous, Limited called on the council, explaining that the company had been unable to obtain a street sweeper for the W. Speed Patrol as had been agreed upon at the meeting of September 12, 1952.

It was moved by Councillor Lachance that due to the fact that Watrous Limited were unable to obtain a sweeper for the W. Speed Patrol, the town purchase for the sum of \$2000 the W. Speed Patrol and that the sum of \$500 already paid be applied on the purchase price of this machine, and \$750 be issued that the balance of \$750 be paid on July 1, 1953 and that the mayor and secretary be authorized to sign the necessary agreement. Carried.

Damage Claim

A letter from Charles Krauskopf, dated March 18, 1953, regarding the damage to two car tires while driving through a hole located on the corner near the post office, was read to council.

Councillor Lavalle moved that the town purchase a 670-B-4 915 tire for Charles Krauskopf to replace the damaged ones. Carried.

Loan

Moved by Councillor Chevaller that the sum of \$2500 at 5 per cent interest be borrowed from the Morinville Savings and Credit Union in accordance with the by-laws.

resolution herein recorded. Carried.

Estimates

The estimates for the current year were then discussed.

It was moved by Councillor Lachance that estimates for the year 1953 be approved and by-law No. 423 authorizing the mill rates be given first reading. Carried.

The adjournment of the meeting was moved by Councillor Brochu.

Splendid Prizes For Curling Events

MORINVILLE — The prizes donated at recent Morinville Curling events included both practical items and novel mementoes, all of which are to be cherished by the winners.

The Morinville Curling Association wishes to thank the firms and individuals for their support and also for their contributions during the curling season. The success of this new venture in Morinville could only have been achieved by the wholehearted support and co-operation which was shown to the Curling Association by these firms and individuals.

The following is a list of the prizes and their donors:

GRAND CHALLENGE — 1st, trophy, Morinville Utilities; 2nd, picture, Calgary Power; 3rd, rock on base, Morinville Hatchery; 1st, ash trays, L. Letourneau.

CURLING EVENT 1st, electric shaver, Morinville Motors; 2nd, trophy, Curling Association; 3rd, rock on base, J. H. Desnoyer; 4th, miniature curling rocks, J. A. Bens.

Church Members Sponsor Ham Supper

ALCOMDALE — On Saturday, March 28, a ham supper was held in the Alcomdale Hall with Mrs. R. N. Whitson as convener. A good crowd was in attendance despite the break-up of the roads. Supper was sponsored by the members of the Anglican Church and was followed by a play entitled "Pain Across the Hill." Playing in the cast were the following: Mr. Edward Benson, Mrs. Ward Fulton, Mr. Gordon Greenway, Mr. Jim Nyle, Mr. Gordon Meakin, Miss Patricia Benson, Mrs. Sandy Aron, Mr. Cameron Fulton, Mrs. J. H. Whitson, and Mr. Bill Sine. Directing the play was Mr. Sine Fulton.

Edmonton Skier Captures Title

EDMONTON (BUP) — Walter Thachuk of Edmonton won the provincial championships witnessed by 10,000 persons in Edmonton.

Thachuk, who captured the highest number of points, 265.5, also made the biggest leap of the tournament. He soared 157 feet, but took a fall on landing.

Sixteen top-flight jumpers entered in the class "A" jumping, including Hugh Goodman and Paul Gotans, University of Alberta students who competed in the inter-collegiate ski-jumping championships at Banff Feb. 1.

Harold Havind of Edmonton who holds the Edmonton hill jump record of 189 feet, came in second, with 253.1 points, while Art Havind of Vancouver held third position, with 205 points.

In class "B" jumping, Bard Glans of Edmonton earned 202.7 points to win first place, while Melvin Dobers of Calgary came in second with a total of 196.7 points. Ron Bakken, Camrose collected 192.2 points for third place.

Charles McCarty won class "C" competition with 124 points for his three jumps, and Barry Bell topped the jumpers in class "D" with 148.3 points.

The weather was perfect for the ski-jumping, and the bright sunshine lured a near-record crowd of spectators. But the Edmonton Ski Club had to truck in 7 loads of snow to make the ski-jumping possible due to a lack of snow in the city.

Organic Grain Club At U.S.A. Meeting

ALCOMDALE — The monthly meeting of the Home and School Association was held in the Alcomdale School. Present was Mr. J. M. Fontaine, district agricultural for the purpose of organizing the grain club for 1953. Chosen club leaders are, Mr. Bill Sine and Mr. Britton Mills.

There was a good attendance, namely 40 people, while 10 new members were added to the membership of the Alcomdale Home and School Association.

Whist drives held during February, sponsored by the Home and School Association cleared \$444 while the Valley School held March 13 brought in \$70. The money is to be used to buy a football for the school, also an electric radio for the junior room.

Morinville News Briefs

Mrs. Ovide Gosselin gave birth to a baby boy on March 31.

Oscar Heblitz reports that the stationary engine which was stolen from his farm approximately one month ago was recently recovered by the RCMP.

Fire broke out at the Alberta Hotel at 1:30 p.m. on March 25. However it was of a very minor nature and was quickly quenched.

Art Montellier has sold his share of the Dapp Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Ferras are planning to leave for Minneapolis, Minn. on April 3 where they will visit their daughter Rochelle and family.

Louise Chailfoux observed a birthday on March 27.

New Barley Variety

Canada's new barley developed at the University of Alberta, has been licensed by the federal department after three years of intensive testing across Canada. Distribution of seed to farmers will not be made before the fall of 1954.

Gateway, a sixth generation cross between Oul and Newell, is as early as Oul, higher yielding and has a slightly stronger straw.

Canada has 22,000 automobile dealers.

A Walk in the Woods

By ROBERT TOANE

Grade III

I walked in the woods one day. The trees were tall and green. The sky was blue, the clouds were gray.

The sun was hiding in between. I saw a squirrel up in a tree. He turned around and looked at us. A blue bird chirped and sang a song.

I felt happy as I walked along. I saw a little rabbit too. He ran away when I said "Shoo".

Six Months In Jail

EDMONTON (BUP) — Roderick Shisbarowski, 21, of Edmonton. Friday was sentenced to six months hard labor in Fort Saskatchewan jail after being convicted of theft.

Mr. Justice Hugh John MacDonnell acquitted him in supreme court of another charge of auto theft.

Police said Shisbarowski stole

some property, took an Edmonton man's car, which he later sold to a friend.

An accomplice, Albert Tindall, pleaded guilty to both charges and is now serving a prison term.

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Warning Notice

RE: COYOTE CONTROL RABIES

Municipal District of Morinville No. 91

Your Municipal Council under date of February 12, 1953 has passed By-law No. 143 in accordance with the Municipal District Act for the purpose of restraining and regulating the running at large of dogs and providing for the killing of dogs running at large.

It is unlawful for any owner or persons in custody of dogs to have dogs running at large within the municipality. In due of the foregoing we earnestly appeal to all residents of the Municipal District of Morinville to avail themselves of more coyote getters through their municipal office to declare war on coyotes in every way possible immediately, as well as keeping all dogs tied.

WALTER ELLETT—Pest Control Officer

SPECIAL BUYS IN GOOD NEW and USED CARS and TRUCKS

1952 1/2-ton CHEV.—Brand new . . . \$200 below list
1952 1-ton CHEV. TRUCK—Brand new . . . \$225 off
1951 CHEV. SEDAN, four door, low mileage.
1949 PREFECT, in good shape . . . \$ 650
1950 PREFECT, radio, heater . . . \$ 750
3-ton FARGO, 1949 model, new rubber . . . \$1195

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BORLE'S AUTO SALES

ALUMINUM SERVICE STATION

ST. ALBERT Alberta

Seed Treatments

According to registration records for 1952, 37 brands of 8-seed Treatments are available under the Pest Control Products Act administered by the Plants Products Division, Department of Agriculture. These products were registered by 15 firms, many of which provided Canadian farmers with other pesticides for the control of diseases and insects affecting agricultural production. More than half of these Seed Treatments are new products only available to farmers in the last few years. The following is a brief outline of the types

of Seed Treatments available: for the control of bunt or smut of wheat, Fusigildal (Mercurial), 15 preparations; Fusigildal (Non-mercurial), 15 preparations; Insecticidal (Lindane), 4 preparations; borne seed and seedling diseases. Insecticidal - Fusigildal (Lindane) These last two products are of low plus Mercurial), 4 preparations toxicity to man and have added

The Fungicidal Treatments currently on this account include: Thiophanate-methyl, which is designed to dislodge seed, and to Gamma Isomer of Benzothiazole, which protects it from soil-borne disease; Hexachloride, is very effective against the newer fungicides; contact-soluble insect control, and the fungicide, Carbendazim. The fungicide, Carbendazim, one can find in Phenyl Mercapto Carbamate (PMA) are applied on the seed, which is effective against smut nearly complete protection from (except loose smut), seedling blight/worms.

and seed rot (Max PMA is toxic to Last year 38,734 Canadians, young and old, learned swimming with carb. Hexachloride, and Chlorinated hydrocarbon, is specifically conducted by volunteer.



HELEEN'S PICTURE taken in days gone by, right here in Alberta. Perhaps the scene is familiar to you, and you can give us some information. For the best written description of this picture containing 200 words or less, the Editor will pay \$1.00. Send your entry to "DO YOU REMEMBER?", P.O. Box 4430, South Edmonton.

J. A. Gilbey, officer in charge of the federal agriculture department's experimental sub-station at Fort Simpson, Northwest Territories, says far north wheat yields of from 45 to 50 bushels an acre have been obtained on observation tests.

Fort Simpson is about 825 miles north of Edmonton.

Mr. Gilbey said horticultural crop hold a primary interest in work at the Fort Simpson station. The part played by vegetables in raising the standard of living in northern communities is realized, along with the need of building up scientific data.

Mr. Gilbey said experiments also have been made with forage crops and cereals. The station has a poultry flock and has made a start on hog raising.

The grain observation trials were made with wheat, oats and barley. The station comprises 85 acres, 50 of which are under cultivation.

Mr. Gilbey and his wife are sold on the possibilities of the north-land. Mrs. Gilbey was amazed when she first saw the lush wild strawberries and beautiful wild roses the land produced during its average of 86 frost-free days.

CALGARY—Breaking up the nation's traffic jam and improving highways and streets is the most immediate task facing Canada today, C. W. Gilchrist of Ottawa, managing director of the Canadian Good Roads Association, told members of Calgary Gyro Club today.

The speaker forecast that motor vehicles will more than double in the next 25 years to more than 6,000,000 and unless highway and street building is stepped up and maintained at a high level "we shall find ourselves becoming steadily more and more bogged down in the traffic quagmire."

To modernize the nation's roads and streets and to build new areas will cost "hundreds of millions of dollars" but "it is not so much a matter of whether we can afford to have roads as whether we can afford not to have them," Mr. Gilchrist concluded.

Mr. Gilchrist announced that the annual meeting of the Canadian Good Roads Association will be held this year on the West Coast, at Victoria, October 1 to 12.

There is a pressing need for garden vegetables and potatoes, a need which the Gilbeys say will be stronger when mineral discoveries bring development of the area and a bigger population.

Northern housekeeping has its advantages and disadvantages, Mrs. Gilbey said. Her sun porch makes a first-class home freezer in the winter and the house boasts the conveniences of indoor plumbing.

However, a year's shopping has to be done at one time, while the boats are running, and her bread is homemade since the kind that is for sale, baked by an old sour-dough who stayed after gold-rush days, costs \$1 for three loaves.

Nine applications for formation of the county system of centralized municipal government, in addition to the four counties now in existence, are in the municipal affairs department's "active" file.

The department said that the nine are the municipal districts of Minburn, Argyle, Barons, Warner, Walnwright, Camrose, Pembina, Beaver and Eagle, and the Taber school division. Beaver is in the Ryley-Holden area, Eagle in the Two Hills district.

J. W. Judge, deputy minister of municipal affairs, said the Camrose municipal district also made application but later indicated it wants to withdraw.

An amendment to the County Act now before the legislation would remove any limitation on the number of counties which could be established in Alberta. The limit formerly was four and counties were set up at Grande Prairie, Vulcan, Bonnyville and Newell.

If the amendment is approved, more counties can be established on Jan. 1 of any succeeding year.

Hon. C. C. Abbott, finance minister, announced in Ottawa that a \$200,000,000 government bond issue was heavily over-subscribed within two hours after the books opened. Sale of the bonds started at 9 a.m. and the books were closed at 11 a.m. The bonds include two series. The first, totalling \$100,000,000 and bearing 2 per cent interest, will become due July 1, 1954. The second, totalling \$200,000,000 and bearing $\frac{3}{8}$ per cent interest, will become due July 1, 1955.

⁴ Korea shows air-power alone cannot win war.



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- The average cost of accidents
- The costs of doing business
- The profit or loss of the insurance company

● Because accident rates have been soaring.
Today one person is killed every four hours in Canada — one person is injured every fifteen minutes — a fender is smashed every two minutes.

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● Because accident costs have been soaring.

A wrecked car costs two to three times as much to replace as in 1939—a damaged car costs twice as much to repair—those fenders every two minutes cost three times as much.

● Because medical and hospital costs have increased an estimated 165%.
The bill for injuries is the highest in history.

- Because average Canadian earning power is up 150%. That means higher payments to settle "lost time" claims.

- **By cutting operating costs.**
Overhead is higher but operating costs per vehicle have been slashed.

- **By losing money.** Auto insurance companies paid out \$65,000,000 in claims last year. They lost \$6,300,000 doing it.

● **Reduce accidents.**
When the accident rate goes down — unless the cost of each accident goes way up — insurance rates will go down too. Competition makes that certain.

REMEMBER —
The accident that doesn't happen never costs anybody a dime.

EDITORIALS

What Do You Think?

What is your reaction when you are asked to contribute your share to the 1953 Cancer Crusade of the Canadian Cancer Society?

Do you say: "Another appeal on top of all the endless appeals of this past year?"

Or do you think of Bill Jones or Mary Smith in your neighborhood who are living today because of the phenomenal advances in surgery, in research, in medicine, made possible by the dollars you have given to this great cause?

Or do you recall the seven danger signals which the Canadian Cancer Society has been urging you to memorize throughout the years and realize that this knowledge may be responsible for the saving of your life or the life of someone dear to you?

Not only in the raising of money alone—certainly needed now more than ever—but in the opportunity it affords to alert you and yours to the challenge of cancer and the possibilities of licking it, is Cancer Control Month worthwhile.

Think of the part you can play in this fight. Write a generous check for the Canadian Cancer Society and help fight cancer.

The Royal Farms

The royal farms at Windsor, covering 650 acres of former parkland, are being streamlined in accord with current emphasis on more food at lower cost.

A new feature is a herd of attested Ayrshire cows, yielding 150 gallons of milk daily. There is also a herd of 40 pedigree attested Jersey cattle.

All cattle on the royal farms have been dehorned. As calves are born, their horn buds are treated painlessly to arrest development.

One reason for dehorning is the practice of turning cattle into straw yards at night to ensure that milk maintains a high standard of purity. Advocates of dehorning have been encouraged by the royal example. Some cattle breeding societies have announced that absence of horns will not prejudice show chances.

The Windsor farms also house 1,000 Sussex Rhode cross poultry, kept in covered yards with night lighting to aid egg production in winter. Average yield in the last four months has been 60 per cent.

Food produced goes to royal residences. The surplus is sold commercially.

A Stubborn Man

It seems that the gentleman knew what he wanted: he wanted a ride in a ship across the seas back to his old home. He advertised for it to the limit of his ability and got the ride. Firm? Robinson Crusoe, not me.

The first ad cost him his shirt for he hung it up on a pole, stuck it on the top of his island, and let the wind flap it.

He changed his copy as one garment after another frayed out, pants, undershirt, old bedding, then anything that would flap and wave. A persistent, stubborn cuss, an advertising man, I guess.

Circulation was slender as could be. Readers were busy elsewhere. But R.C. not in, knew advertising, and he kept his signals flying. He knew they'd know and understand and believe if they ever did read his ad.

And then one day they did see it, read his ad, landed and brought old Crusoe back to civilization and an eternal reading of his adventures with Friday. But, listen, just suppose he'd said: "Advertisin's no good," after he had lost his pants! Gosh!

—Taken from the Advertiser's Digest.

Bible Today

Look over to These the sacrifice of Thanksgiving, and will call upon the name of the Lord.

—Psalms CXVI; 15.

The "Christ" in "Christian"

By T. W. PUE

As we approach Good Friday, Easter and the end of the Lenten Season, it is a good idea to reflect on our personal status in the Christian faith.

Nominally accepting the Christian way of life, some self-styled intellectuals reject acceptance of the Person of Jesus Christ. Somehow or other, they would like to expel Christ, the founder, from the Christian Church.

As a matter of historical fact, the Church was called Christian after Christ, and Jesus was called Christ as the "anointed one" of God Almighty. Still, these "intellectuals" say that Jesus was a mere man, wise and good, but nothing more.

Some of them acknowledged that he was a great teacher and rank him with Buddha, Mohammed, Confucius and Moses. A few even claim that no such Person as Jesus Christ ever lived, and that the entire structure called Christianity is founded upon a myth.

While refusing to believe the Scriptures to be of divine origin, some of these educated people embrace Christianity because they feel that its moral laws are good for society.

"The service of the Christian religion," declared one of these doubters, "and my own faith in essential Christianity, would not be diminished one iota if it should in some way be discovered that no such individual as Jesus ever lived." They are, in other words, willing to accept Christ's religion—but not Christ Himself.

It is ridiculous, of course, to suggest that the Christian faith is the religion of the ignorant. For millions of educated people . . . and many of the world's most distinguished scholars, philosophers and scientists, have been devout Christians. But discounting this fact, there is abundant evidence to support the Christian teaching concerning Jesus.

It is to be found in the Four Gospels, in which the real Jesus is revealed to us. "But," argue some educated unbelievers, "you are assuming that the Four Gospels are an authentic recording of the life and teaching of Jesus Christ. We refuse to believe this."

The "intellectuals" are, of course, being anything but intellectual in taking this position. For there is more abundant proof of the genuineness of the Gospels than there is to support other historical records which scholars accept without question. References to and quotations from the Four Gospels date back as far as the first century. The Christian era . . . are found in writings contemporary with the Apostles and the first Christians.

Grain Handlers' Strike

At the end of March, the strike of 250 terminal elevator employees at Vancouver had gone six weeks. A representative of the federal department of labor had failed to reach a settlement satisfactory to both sides.

The terminal employees have been under the impression that farmers are favoring their side. Such is not the case in Alberta at least. Farmers in this province realize that the cost-of-living has gone down 7 points this past year while the cost of goods and services they have to buy is on the increase.

The Economic Annalist, published by the federal department of agriculture, notes that between January, 1952, and September of the same year there was a decline in farm prices of 24.4 points. The decline in the prices of animal products was 49.1 points and field products 26.1 points.

In the same period the cost of the commodities and services used by farmers rose 6.8 points.

Early Lake Opening Predicted

Predictions are being made that the shipping season on the Great Lakes will open much earlier than usual this year. Ice along the shores of Lake Superior and in the harbors of Port William and Port Arthur is much thinner than normal and the lower lakes are almost free of ice and are navigable at the present time. Ice breaking operations should be well underway this week to permit shipping. Last year the first sailing from Port Arthur was April 4, and the year before it was on April 11. Average for the past 15 years has been April 11.

With the strike on at the Coast, grain has been pouring into the lakehead terminals and by the opening date they should be filled to capacity. In February stocks in store totalled about a million bushels more than at the same time last year.



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FOR CHILDREN'S SAKE

The Board of Directors of the Edmonton Home for Ex-servicemen's Children, wish to thank you for the manner in which you wrote up the story of the Home and its work in your paper.

Mr. O. Beasly of the R.C.A.F. Edmonton Station, contacted the Home recently, and it was through his effort that the material was sent to you, and we thank you for the promptness you gave the story in your paper.

We thought it may interest you to know that a fifteen year old boy who was in residence in our Home from October 1952, until January 1953, while visiting at St. Albert saw the story and writes as follows:

Dear Mrs. Peterson: While visiting over the weekend at St. Albert, I read the St. Albert Gazette, and I saw the article about the Home for Ex-servicemen's Children. I was very glad to see that you got some of your well deserved praise, and also that someone else thinks of the Home. It made me realize that the title "Home" really applies to your place.

Yours Truly,

Joe LaRosa

Needless to say, we were awfully proud of this boy's letter, and it makes us feel that it has really been worth while, because when a young boy like that writes in, on his own initiative, one knows it comes right from the heart.

Again thanking you I remain sincerely yours,

J. E. Peterson

CALLS PROSPERITY FALSE

Government economists are advising businessmen that they need have no economic qualms for 1953. They say defence spending is continuing rising. We know the present unsettled conditions throughout the world make it necessary to prepare for war, but it ought to be self-evident to these same businessmen that this kind of industrial activity does not add to the wealth of the nation. We have turned from an economy of peace to an economy of war, and the handwriting on the wall spells economic collapse.

DAILY SMITH.

KILL THE COYOTE

All this talk about coyotes is kill mice and gophers. So what?

Some years ago coyote pelts were in demand and a lot of trappers, experienced and otherwise, were out to trap all they could for profit. Coyotes were scarce but the rodent population was not above normal.

In 1951 coyote pelts were worthless and with no trapping done they increased at an alarming rate—and so incidentally, did the mice population.

It is obvious that the mouse population is not influenced by the coyotes but increases and decreases in an independent cycle.

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I have a good job and my husband's salary will take care of us and the house but leaves nothing for the things we would like to have. We both want a family but I would like to work for a year.

My mother thinks this is a mistake as she says if a wife starts working, her husband expects her to keep on.

What do you think?

Answer:

I see no reason why you should not work until you start a family and, particularly so, if it means a lot of things for your home that both you and your husband would like to have.

LOUISA

Dear Louisa,

I want to buy a washing machine and have enough for a down payment, but my husband always likes to pay cash for everything he gets.

We can meet the monthly payments and I have two small children and do my own work.

Don't you think he could break his rule this one?

Answer:

I think it would probably pay him in the long run to break this

rule this time, for if you do all your work and the laundry for your family, you certainly need something that will make it easier for you. Sometimes doctor bills for over-worked mothers amount to more than the price of a mechanical household aid.

Louisa.

Exports Increase Of Coarse Grains

OTTAWA — Canada's exports of coarse grains jumped 61 per cent in the first half of 1952-53 compared with the first half of 1951-52, the Bureau of Statistics reported today.

Barley shipments hit a new high, climbing to 65,400,000 bushels in the August 1952-January 1953 period, double the 33,400,000 bushels in the similar period of 1951-52.

Exports of oats increased to 33,200,000 bushels from 27,000,000; rye, to 33,200,000 from 27,900,000; flaxseed to 2,500,000 from 1,500,000.

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1 egg

1/2 tsp. lemon extract

1 drop maple flavoring

1/3 cup chopped nuts

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Beat well. Add remaining ingredients. Knead on board a few minutes, then make into a roll and chill in the refrigerator until firm.

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Mrs. James Verbeek, Calahoo, Alta.

It was Mary's first day at school and she sat patiently in her new desk awaiting her turn to answer the teacher's questions. Finally, the teacher turned to her and said, "And now Mary, how old are you?"

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One little boy was heard to pray, "Harold be Thy name." Another begged, "Give us this day our jelly bread." A New York child petitioned, "Lead us not into Penn station."

Brainy Gal

"Is my girl friend clever?" She's got brains enough for two.
"Then she's just the girl you ought to marry."

Of Course

"I tell you, old friends are best."
"That's right! Just try to think of a new friend that has stood by you as long as the old ones?"

Good If He Can Do It

A tough drill sergeant ordered every man in the squad to fold his left leg straight out in front of him. By mistake, one rookie held up his right leg, which brought it out to his neighbor's left leg.

"Okay," shouted the hard-boiled sergeant, "who's the wise guy holding up both legs?"

Boys and Gals

The old man neglected to assist his wife out of the street car.
"John," she said, "you are not so gallant as when you were a boy."

"No," he replied, "and you're not so buoyant as when you were a girl, either."

A Considerate Debtor

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Absolutely Right

Two children were talking.
"Know how to tell a lady worm from a gentleman worm?" one asked.

"Oh, sure," said the other.
"You've heard that a worm turns. Well, if it turns without putting out its hand, it's a lady worm."

Diet Of Wood And Metal Is Fatal To Ostrich

This is the obituary of Jumbo, a 250-pound ostrich that came to the Edmonton zoo in August, 1949, and started on his way surely and steadily to death in the traditional manner of zoo ostriches.

Zoologists and veterinarians aware of the eating habits of ostriches, weren't surprised at what the post-mortem examination of Jumbo revealed.

One by one of the contents of the feathered glutton's stomach—were lined up. The final count: 5 pennies, one dime, five keys, several odd-shaped pieces of wood, numerous bits of scrap metal and a large table-spoon.

The spoon was responsible for the internal haemorrhaging that delivered the death blow. That was the verdict of Dr. C. H. Bigland of the provincial poultry disease division, who presided over the post-mortem, and Dr. William Ross, head of the University of Alberta's zoology department, who has sat in on ostrich autopsies before.

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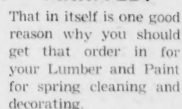
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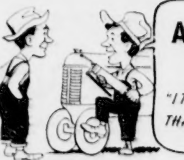
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